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WE ARE ALL STUNNED AND SADDENED BY THE SUDDEN AND UNTIMELY LOSS YOU HAVE SUFFERED. NORMAN PEARSON WAS A GREAT SCHOLAR WHOSE LOSS TO THE FIELD OF AMERICAN STUDIES WILL BE SORELY FELT FOR YEARS TO COME. HIS CLOSE ASSOCIATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE'S CULTURAL EXCHANGE PROGRAM, ESPECIALLY WITH JAPAN, HELPED TO MAKE THOSE PROGRAMS HIGHLY SUCCESSFUL, AND HIS ENCOURAGEMENT OF FOREIGN SCHOLARS OVER THE YEARS WAS IMMENSELY VALUABLE IN FURTHERING CONTACTS BETWEEN AMERICANS AND PEOPLES OF OTHER LANDS. ON BEHALF OF MY COLLEAGUES AND ALL OF US IN THE DEPARTMENT WHO KNEW HIM, I EXTEND TO YOU MY DEEPEST SYMPATHY.

JOHN RICHARDSON, JR.
ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR
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